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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5451

C O N F I D E N T I A L MOGADISCIO 1850

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: EINV, SO
SUBJECT: BLOCKED CALTEX FUNDS

REF: STATE 257111

1. CALTEX REP RICHARD S. REPKO, RESIDENT IN NAIROBI, CALLED ON EMBASSY OCTOBER 26, FOR INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS. HE PROVIDED SOME INFO ON SOMALI POL SITUATION (SEPTEL) AND STATED THAT CALTEX WAS "GOING AHEAD" WITH LUBRICATING OIL BLENDING PLANT AS MEANS OF REPATRIATING BLOCKED FUNDS. HE COMMENTED THAT THE PACE OF NEGOTIATIONS WAS SLOW, BUT THAT HE CONSIDERED HE HAD GOOD CONTACTS IN MOGADISCIO, WOM HE VISITS FROM TIME TO TIME. REPKO DID NOT RPT NOT SEEK EMBASSY ASSISTANCE OR INTERVENTSON IN BLENDING PLANT NEGOTIAEUONS.

2. EMBASSY HESITANT TAKE INITIATIVE IN CONTACTING MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AT THIS TIME TO AVOID CROSSING WIRES WITH CALTEX NEGOTIATIONS, WHICH APPARENTLY UNDER WAY. DEPT MAY WISH DISCUSS THIS ISSUE FURTHER WITH AMBASSADOR LOUGHRAN AND CALTEX SO THAT ANY DESIRABLE FUTURE ACTION COULD BE TAKEN AFTER COORDINATION WITH CALTEX.
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